



PUBLIC WORKSHOP: "OBLIGATIONS, RESPONSIBILITIES, AND RIGHTS: THE MORAL ECONOMY OF SOCIAL ASSISTANCE"

SATURDAY 26 OCTOBER 2024

12.30PM TO 5PM

ROOM 227

**THE TECHNOLOGY, SOCIETY AND
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MAYNOOTH NORTH CAMPUS**

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SESSION 1 (1pm-3pm)

1. Project Presentation: The Moral Economy of Social Assistance (An Ethnographic Approach to the Values and Moral Evaluations Underpinning the Social Obligation to Help Those in Need)
Ángeles Arjona, University of Almería (Spain). Project PI
2. Aid with strings attached: Reciprocity and Charity in the Assistance Programs of a local assembly of the Spanish Red Cross
Francisco Arqueros, University of Almería
3. Beyond caring: tracing the rise of 'de-caring' as a practice of organisations and policy
*Ray Griffin
South East Technological University, Ireland*
4. Residence-based conditionality and Mobile EU Citizens' Social Rights in Ireland and beyond
*Majka Ryan
Kemmy Business School, University of Limerick*

SESSION 2 (3.15pm-5pm)

5. Who deserves to care? An exploration of recent care related policy reforms in the Irish social protection system.
*Fiona Dukelow
School of Applied Social Studies, University College, Cork*
6. Experiencing Behavioural Conditionality and Sanctions
*Kenny Doyle
Waterford Institute of Technology*
7. Categories which leave a Mark: On NEETs, Scarring and the stigmatisation of the unemployed.
*Tom Boland
Department of Sociology and Criminology, University College Cork*



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